

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

Our silence is our demise -- our ignorance is complicity.

The current lift on the cross-ownership ban on media is proof how the downsizing of

government is merely a pretense to support corporate imperialism. I have an FCC non commercial license -- although I have this sanction from the FCC to pursue broadcasting,

the current climate predicts more and more difficulty to allow a voice, not a business, to be heard.

I am disappointed that the same government agency that allowed me to use the airwaves for

my individuality, now also believes that lifting the current restriction would not conflict with the public interest.